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STATIONS.	P M	P M	NORTH. A. M.	A. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	5 40	1 25	10 10	6 15
Cameron	5 55	....	10 25	6 30
Chulasky	6 00	....	10 29	6 34
Danville	6 08	1 58	10 36	6 40
Catawissa	6 25	2 14	10 53	6 58
Rupert	6 30	2 19	11 00	7 05
Bloomsburg	6 36	2 24	11 07	7 12
Espy	6 42	2 29	11 15	7 20
Lime Ridge	6 50	....	11 22	7 27
Willow Grove	6 54	....	11 26	7 31
Briarcreek	6 58	....	11 30	7 35
Berwick	7 08	2 48	11 37	7 42
Beach Haven	7 11	2 54	11 44	7 49
Hick's Ferry	7 18	2 59	11 48	7 55
Shickshinny	7 30	3 09	11 58	8 06
Hunlock's	7 43	3 19	12 08	8 17
Nanticoke	7 50	3 26	12 16	8 22
Avondale	7 54	....	12 20	8 26
Plymouth	7 59	3 35	12 25	8 33
Plymouth Junction	8 03	3 39	12 30	8 38
Kingston	8 08	3 43	12 37	8 45
Bennett	8 12	....	12 41	8 49
Maltby	8 17	....	12 45	8 53
Wyoming	8 22	3 52	12 50	8 58
West Pittston	8 27	3 56	12 55	9 03
Pittston	8 33	4 01	1 03	9 09
Lackawanna	8 40	....	1 11	9 17
Taylorville	8 48	....	1 19	9 25
Bellevue	8 54	....	1 25	9 30
SCRANTON	9 00	4 22	1 30	9 35

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SCRANTON	6 10	9 50	2 05	6 20	
Bellevue	6 15	9 55	....	6 25	
Taylorville	6 20	10 00	2 14	6 30	
Lackawanna	6 25	10 08	2 21	6 37	
Pittston	6 36	10 16	2 28	6 45	
West Pittston	6 42	10 22	2 34	6 50	
Wyoming	6 47	10 27	2 39	6 55	
Maltby	6 51	10 30	....	6 59	
Bennett	6 55	10 34	2 47	7 03	
Kingston	6 58	10 38	2 50	7 07	
Plymouth Junction	7 06	10 42	2 54	7 12	
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EASTWARD.

9.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 6.30 p. m.; Baltimore, 3.10 p. m.; Washington, 4.50 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

1.43 p. m.—Day express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m.; New York, 9.35 p. m.; Baltimore 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 7.45 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

7.45 p. m.—Renovo Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m.; New York 7.10 a. m. Baltimore, 4.55 a. m.; Washington 6.05 a. m.; Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. On Sundays a through sleeping car will be run; on this train from Williamsp't to Philadelphia. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

2.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.25 a. m., New York, 11.30 a. m.; Baltimore 6.15 a. m.; Washington, 8.30 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.10 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), to Erie and all intermediate stations and Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9.53—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

12.52 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations and Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Williamsport.

5.30 p. m.—Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

9.20 a. m.—Sunday mail for Renovo and intermediate station.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Sunday mail leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg 7.40 arriving at Sunbury 9.20 a. m. with through sleeping car from Philadelphia to Williamsport.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury 9.53. a. m.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.30 a. m. (daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury, 12.52 p. m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 9.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.50 a. m.; Washington, 9.50 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 5.30 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.36 p. m., Wilkes-barre 7.55 p. m

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 10.25 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 11.54 a. m., Sunbury 12.45 p. m

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 3.50 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4.19 p. m., Sunbury 5.10 p. m

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SELECT STORY.

A BACHELOR'S REWARD.

It was a cold January day. John Steele sat alone in his office, in the midst of a deep reverie.

It was seldom that he was idle, as he was at the present time, but this evening the memories of the past came flocking upon him like ghosts from another land.

John Steele was a bachelor of forty. He had been born and reared a poor boy, in the little town of M——, and had never felt a desire to leave it. He had studied law and plodded along year after year in the dingy, grimy office, in which we find him now, and had grown rich. He had no personal friends, and lived alone in a large old frame house at the outskirts of the town with a man servant as cook and general man-of-all-work.

Years and years before, when a young man of twenty, poor and aimless, Steele had loved a girl whose parents would not let her marry him because he was so worthless. In his rage he blamed her for this and would listen to no reason, and from that day had hated women and had led a solitary life. It was this scene that now held John Steele in his office chair, as the mantle of night gathered over the town.

"More than twenty years ago," he mused, "and I don't believe I have ever spoken to a woman, except on business since that day. They say she married a no account wretch after all, who has sunk down to poverty and want. Well, well, I must not waste time thinking about such things now. I was only a boy then, and did not know what I wanted. I must be going." Whereupon he arose, buttoned his coat about him, locked his office and trudged on his homeward journey.

Rumor had it about town that although by her parents' influence, Katie Drew had married shortly after her refusal of Steele, that she had loved him dearly. This was most likely true, but as twenty years had past, the matter had faded from the general mind to give way to more lively gossip.

Steele ate his supper in silence. William, his man-of-all-work, had a very good meal prepared; for, though Steele was close-fisted he believed in good clothes and comfortable living.

"Now, William," said Steele, when he had finished "if you fix me up enough food to do me to-morrow, you may have a holiday. And here is your money and five dollars to have a time with. No holiday for me; I don't need any and don't want any."

"Thank you, Mr. Steele, for your goodness," said William. "But, Mr. Steele, don't you never take any little extra pleasure at all? You know I used to know you when you was a little fellow; and I can remember seeing your good mother holding you up at the old church so you could see the Christmas tree. And you was a wee little tod then, and you clapped your little hands in glee and your mother would kiss your baby face and talk baby talk to you. It don't seem like that was near forty years ago, Mr. Steele, but it was."

"Confound the fellow," grumbled Steele, as he sat down in his room that night to read. "If I should listen to him he would upset me. I don't know what is the matter with me this evening, anyhow. I never felt so queer in my life. I guess I am using too much tobacco of late."

He read until bedtime, and was in the act of taking off his boots, when he heard a knock at the front door.

"Wonder who that is," he thought. "Something unusual at this place."

He listened a moment and there came another knock.

"What the deuce can that William be doing that he don't go to the door?" said Steele. "I want to go to bed, and it may be some one that wants me.

To borrow money, I guess. Well, unless they good security, not a cent do they get."

At this juncture William opened the door. Steele heard an indistinct conversation, and then William conducted the visitor to the kitchen. After some moments William came walking into the room.

"Well, what is it?"

"Excuse me, Mr. Steele, but there is a poor woman in the kitchen who needs some help badly. I'm sure she does, for she don't look as a common beggar. She says she has walked through the cold all the way from the last town, and is most dead."

"Yes, that is what they all say. Give her something to eat and send her on."

"But I wish you would come and see her."

"Bother these beggars," mumbled Steele. "But I guess I'll go down to get rid of her."

Steele saw a black figure sitting by the fire.

"Well," he said to her, when he entered, "what can I do for you?"

She turned toward him. Her face was not that of a beggar. Although a trifle pale, it was the face of a pretty woman of thirty-five.

"I only wished to get warm," she said:

"I was so cold that I felt as if I should freeze. I am sorry to disturb you. I have friends in the town, and am sure I can get employment of some kind there. I used to live there years and years ago."

By means of a few questions he learned that she was a widow, without any relations in the world. He was deeply touched by her story.

"What was your husband's name?" asked Steele.

"Carter," she said; "George Carter."

"Wait here a moment," he said and went up to his room.

He went to his desk and took out some money.

"I so seldom give," said he, "and can afford to be liberal to this poor woman." He took two ten-dollar bills and started back to the kitchen.

"She said her name was Carter. Carter—Carter? Where have I heard —what! Carter! My God! That was the name of her husband. She said she used to live here years ago. It must be she. It is Katie Drew! It must be!"

Steele shook like a leaf. He seemed young again. He remembered her once more as the sweet-faced girl, and the heart which had been slumbering so long seemed to spring into new life. He sat down on the stairs to compose himself, and then started again for the kitchen.

"William," said Steele, when he entered, "here is the key to my office. I wish you would go there and bring me a packet you will find on my desk."

William fell in the trap without suspicion, and was off.

Steele seated himself in a dark corner and looked at the woman. He could see his old love in every feature of the face. He was strangely excited and knew not what to say.

"You say you lived here once?" he began.

"Yes, when I was a girl," she said.

"And bad fortune has overtaken you since. Perhaps you knew my cousin then, John Steele?"

"Yes," she said, "I knew him. Is he not here now?"

"No, poor fellow," said Steele, feeling guilty as he spoke the words, "he is dead."

"Dead!" and she leaned her head on her hand and wept.

"Yes," said Steele, feeling like a murderer as he spoke, "but none who knew him, were sorry for it. He had no good in him, and lived a selfish life."

"Poor man!" said the sweet, sympathizing tones. "At heart he was good."

Something seemed to move Steele. He got up and stood by her chair. His hand, by accident, touched her. It sent a thrill through him that seemed to make a new being of him.

"Kate," he said, "don't you know me?"

She looked up, started, stood erect, and got a good look into his face.

"John" she said, in a scared way, and hid her face in her hands.

"Yes, Katie," he said, "it is John. I was thinking of you to-day, and it seems as though heaven has sent you."

"This is such a shock to me," and she sat down again.

Steele's heart was throbbing wildly, and he quivered with excitement.

"I am old now, Katie, and perhaps awkward in my speech, but—I—I can't help what I am saying. You have no home. I am rich, and you are the only woman I ever loved. You are welcome to all I have. My life has been very lonely. With you I would be happy. You can't love me, I know, after all this time, but I do not ask that."

She arose as if to go. Poor Steele's heart seemed to be bursting. He unconsciously put forth his arms and touched her. With a sob she fell into them and rested her head on his shoulder.

"Katie?" he cried in joy.

"Oh, John, how can I speak?"

"Say something, Katie."

"I feel so guilty. I thought you would never forgive me. But—but—but I have—"

"But what, Katie?"

"Oh, John, you know I loved you then, and it was not my fault. I have loved you all these long years. I am so happy, if you will but forgive me."

"Forgive you! Don't speak of that again. You are homeless no longer, Katie. I know what love is at least. You are in my house now, and you shall never go out of it except as my wife."

"No, John, not—"

"Yes, don't object. I know it don't sound well, but I don't care for that. A preacher lives close. Won't you consent?"

"But—"

"Please don't refuse, Katie."

"Well, I guess—"

Just then William came in. Steele nearly ran over him. "Hang the papers?" he said, as William offered them to him.

"Here, William," he said, as he came down stairs putting on his overcoat, "fix the front room and light a fire. Don't you hear, you idiot? Don't stand looking, move about."

William did not know what was the matter. He had just got the fire lighted when Steele came stumbling in with the preacher.—*Arkansas Traveler.*

The Man Who Laughs.

"I remember," said an old pyhsician of Baltimore, lately, "that I traveled in 1823 in a stage coach across the Alleghany Mountains from Cumberland to the Ohio River. In the coach were two friends, young men and lawyers, who were going out to settle in western Pennsylvania.

"We became well acquainted in the long leisurely journey. Both of my fellow travelers were men of ability and culture; both had good breeding and kindly dispositions. But their temperaments were widely different.

C—— never joked and rarely smiled. If a laughable story was told, he listened silently, thought it over for an hour, and then began to argue against its probability. If the morning was cloudy, he was sure of a storm before night; if the harness broke, he was positive we would be detained all day. If the coachman drove fast, he knew he was drunk, and that our necks would be broken.

M——, on the contrary, was a merry light-hearted fellow, full of anecdote and quick repartee. The weather was always delightful for him, the meals delicious, his companions the finest company in the world. He saw every point of interest in the landscape, every tint in the fields. He was like a bee, gathering one crop of honey here, and another there. His comrade never knew that there was honey to gather.

When they left us, I said: "There goes one man to success; another to defeat."

"I visited lately, the city in which they were settled, and asked their history, being anxious to know whether my prophecy had been correct. M—— is still living, a leading jurist, a man of great and benignant influence. C—— was dead. 'Worried himself into the grave,' said an old man who had remembered him.

The rule is unfailing—given to two men of equal talents, health and fortune; the one who laughs will live longer than the other, and accomplish more work in the world.

Gaiety of temperament usually comes at birth, but cheerfulness can be cultivated.

"It is the one virtue," the late Jas. Field used to say, "that you should effect if you have it not. So much you owe to your neighbor."

"The man," Sydney Poyntox, "who with a heavy heart, turns persistently a cheerful face to the world, will presently feel warmth and light come to his heart, which shall remain there."—*Youth's Companion.*

A Friend in Need.

A STORY OF MAN'S WEAKNESS AND WOMAN'S CRUELTY, WITH SEVERAL MORALS.

I.

"Did you notice that man?" asked a leading pawnbroker of a friend who chanced to be in his shop. "Poor fellow, my heart bleeds for him. He has just left his wedding ring with me—the last tie which bound him to happier days. His is a sad story."

"I did not observe him particularly," said the gentleman addressed. "Who is he?"

"He is the husband of a well known actress," replied the pawnbroker with some warmth; "and he is the victim of intolerable cruelty. Would you believe it, the woman who but a few short months ago swore to cherish and protect him now absolutely refuses to contribute more than $25 a week to his support. You seem incredulous but I assure you it is true."

"Who is the man?"

"His name is Brockholst O'Flynn, and he is the husband of Miss St. Elmo the burlesque actress."

A cry of horror escaped the gentleman's lips.

"My old friend O'Flynn!" he exclaimed. "Is it possible that he has come to this! Strange that I did not recognize him."

"Ah, sorrow and privation have altered him greatly."

"I must hasten and overtake him; perhaps something may be done ere it is too late."

So saying, the gentleman hastened from the shop and in a few moments had overtaken the unhappy man.

"Brockholst," he said gently, "what is all this I hear? You reduced to poverty; you whose wife could gratify your every wish!"

"I know not how you have learned my sad story, dear boy," said O'Flynn, brokenly, "but it is true. I have borne all patiently, uncomplainingly, for her sake; for I shrank from the thought of exposing her to the censure of the world. This morning I pawned my last article of jewelry, our w-w-w-wedding ring," and the unfortunate man burst into bitter tears.

"Cheer up, cheer up!" cried his friend. "All will yet be well. I will see her and intercede for you."

"You—you do not think," asked O'Flynn in tremulous tones, "that she would have the heart to require me, who have been so delicately reared, to —to work?"

"No, no, not that—not that," replied his companion, shuddering. "She is not capable of such baseness."

"You have given me new hope," exclaimed O'Flynn, "and now let us step into yon sample room, and I will set 'em up."

"Good enough."

II.

"It is useless to say any more, Mr. Maginnis; $25 per week and his board are all I will allow my husband."

The woman who uttered these words in a cold, hard tone of voice was Miss St. Elmo, the actress; the person addressed, the friend of Brockholst O'Flynn, to whom the reader has already been introduced.

"Come with me, then," said Maginnis, sternly.

"Where?" demanded the woman.

"No matter; come. I would teach you a useful lesson."

In silence Miss St. Elmo followed him from the house. He led her to a narrow, dingy street in one of the lower wards of the city, and finally paused before a building upon which was painted in large letters, "THE NEW YORK WEEKLY HUSTLER."

"We have reached our destination," he said. "Be attentive and you will gain much by this morning's experience. Come."

She followed him up six flights of stairs and into a small dingy room, where, at a desk, half buried in exchanges and MSS., sat a pale, haggard man. He did not observe their entrance, for he was writing at the rate of 100 words per minute.

"Copy!" howled a phenomenally dirty boy, rushing into the room.

"Great Scott!" shrieked the editor, for, as the talented reader has already gussed, he was one of the fraternity. "I've got to have two columns ready in fifteen minutes, and I haven't got a stickful yet. Jim, get some ice and tie it on my forehead, and then send out the growler. Quick!"

"Who is this wretched being, and what is he doing?" demanded Miss St. Elmo.

"He is a journalist, and he is working," replied Maginnis. "This is work and this is what you will drive O'Flynn to!"

"No, no," shuddered the woman, "I did not know what I was doing. I was mad, mad!"

"Now you're shouting. You will give him an order for your entire salary every Monday in the future?"

"Yes, yes."

"Good enough. Now let us get out of this."

Miss St. Elmo never forgot that ten minutes' visit to The Hustler office; and to-day there is not a husband in New York who is supported in greater luxury than Brockholst O'Flynn.—*Tid Bits.*

"Yes, sir," said the real estate agent; "That piece of property on K street is just what you want."

"Seems to me it's a good ways from the center of the city, isn't it?" asked the prospective tenant. "I'm always in my office until late in the afternoon, and it would be after 6 when I got home."

"Yes; it's four miles out, but then you are only two minutes' walk from the base ball ground."

"I wish you would make out that lease before anybody else comes in," said the prospective tenant vigorously.

Every child who does not know something of country life is deprived of its natural birthright—a birthright which once enjoyed, can never be wholly lost. Town-bred children, who are kept unnaturally clean and well dressed and taken decorously to walk once a day are pitifully ignorant of the raptures of old clothes, bare feet and absolute freedom of action in investigating every nook and corner of a large farm.—Altoona *Graphic.*

"Elastic" starch obviates the necessity of boiled starch, and it imparts to linen a fine polish.

The Creole Planter's Home.

A SPACIOUS MANSION BUILT FOR COMFORT. BEAUTIES OF AN INTERIOR.

The creole sugar planter built his house for summer comfort. He made it with spacious chambers and wide halls, many windowed and with great doors, and then surrounded it with broad galleries to ward off the summer sun. Although these plantation mansions may not have any special architectural beauty, viewed by modern building lights, yet they please the eye, and are imposing by reason of their size and dignity. Many of them are built around an open court, insuring plenty of light and air for each room. About an old house of this kind is an atmosphere of large comfort and easy going content. There is no sparing of ground in inclosing the yard; indeed, its dimensions are large enough to warrant the name of park. Always the house is built far back in the yard, partly to escape the tooth of the tawny lion that chafes and frets and gnaws the levees that would confine him between their banks. Every now and then the monster Mississippi makes a hideous meal of some fair garden.

These houses are sure to be well shaded with luxuriant foliage. Pecans and live oaks, orange and lemon trees, crape myrtle and oleander, and a wilderness of sweet smelling shrubs adorn the grounds while roses and jasmines riot everywhere. In the rear of this wilderness of flowers lie the vegetable and fruit gardens, the poultry yard, and dove cots musical with the soft cooings of innumerable doves. When the creole builded his house in "the city"—New Orleans—there was some difference in structure. The house opened on the street, and a gray stone arched entrance gave admission to the porte cochere, by which the interior was reached. High walls defined the limits of this territory, defying the scrutiny of possible prying neighbors. The French quarter abounds to-day in these old houses, the outside giving no hint of the beauty of the interior. The dingy desert of a flagged yard smiles and blossoms at every few steps into oases of brilliant flowers and shrubs. Along the length of the garden wall runs a raised bed of rich soil and here riot and clambor a tangle of creeping vines that thrust myriad fingers into every crack and cranny, and each in rivalry of its neighbors racing headlong to the top to wave triumphantly aloft, in token of victory, long pennons of green.

Bubbling, sparkling fountains rise and fall in the sunlight, and in sheltered nooks one catches glimpses of great yellow water jars big enough to hold the famous Forty of the "Arabian Nights." These jars were once used to hold the drinking water of the family—Mississippi water that has been filtered, and which the creole preferred to rain water.

The balconies of such a house are transformed into cool arbors by vines which lay their long fingers upon everything within reach. Behind the vines, in improvised beds, grow and blithely bloom many bright hued flowers. Caged birds trill and pipe and chirp and warble, seeming to have lost all sense of having once been free wild things. The salons which open upon these galleries are lofty, spacious apartments, shut off from each other by means of great mahogany folding doors. The door knobs of quaint design and curious tracery of surface are of pure silver. Much handsome wainscoting of rare woods is to be seen, and the beautiful floors of black cypress were the pride of the creole housekeeper, who in the old days rarely used carpets, but preferred handsome mats and rugs of rich, brilliant colors. The furniture of these old houses was costly and handsome, the most of it having been imported, as the owners held the American taste of that day in contempt. Some families yet retain their old furnishings, but poverty has forced many to sell them.

Nowhere else in America are to be found the spacious canopied beds, the vast armories with mirrored doors, the quaint spindle legged dressing tables, the massive sideboards and carving tables, the huge dining tables, the antique cabinets, rich with carving and dark with age, mosaic tables and drawing room suites of the time of Louis Quatorze, as are to be seen in some creole houses in town and country. These memorials are dear to their possessors, who cling to the fashions of their ancestors in a wholly un-American way. Their homes handed down from one generation to another, with such changes as are only absolutely necessary to the inmates, are their most sacred possessions, about which clu

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1887.

Meeting of Standing Committee.

In accordance with the resolution of the Standing Committee, passed at our last meeting, the Committee will meet at the grand jury room, Bloomsburg, on Saturday Sept. 24th next, at one o'clock p. m.

RON'T R. LITTLE.
Chairman.

Mutilated Money.

BANK NOTES CAN BE REDEEMED AT WASHINGTON EVEN IF REDUCED TO ASHES.

From an Interview with a Banker.

Unless the money's identity is entirely gone it is redeemable. In fact, money in the shape of ashes can be restored, and after the great Chicago fire ashes were redeemed. It came about in this way: It is customary in banks to do money up in packages, say of $10,000 each, and in the big fire, of course, hundreds and hundreds of these packages were reduced to ashes. But the shape of the packages remained, and wherever the package could be sent on to Washington without crumbling the ashes, the money was sure to be replaced. It was done by nimble-fingered women in the Treas. Department, whose trained touch and sight are wonderfully acute. It is well known that the ashes of a newspaper if dampened will show traces of the printing. So it was with bills. These women would moisten the packages of apparently useless ashes, and to their experienced eye the number and character of the bill would at once appear. So thousands and thousands of dollars were redeemed by these patient women.

A country merchant, afraid of banks, placed a large sum of money in bills in a stone jar on a shelf in his store where he thought it would be quite safe. When he went to look at it one day some time after it was a mass of fragments. Mice had got into the jar and chewed the bills into the minutest parts. They had mixed them all up, and together it was a fearful looking mess. He sent a cigar box full of it to me. I forwarded it to Washington, and what do you think? Out of the $1145 originally in the pile a little over $1000 was redeemed, the parts beyond recall being only the mere fibres of the bill. So the man lost only $100 by his foolishness.

WASHINGTON LETTER

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13, 1887.

In political circles at the Capital, the chief topic of public interest and discussion is still the tariff conference at Oak View between the President, Secretary Fairchild, Mr. Carlisle, and other advisers, which has just been concluded, doubtless to the full satisfaction of the conferees, at least. That an Administration tariff measure, embodying a substantial reduction of the customs duties upon the necessaries of life and a repeal of the tobacco tax, was agreed upon, I have not the least doubt, and further, I have reason to believe that the President will bring to bear all of his famous firmness and vigor in impressing his views upon the attention of Congress, as of vital importance to the future of both the country and the Democracy. The attitude of Mr. Randall and those of his way of thinking upon this question, is regarded with much interest and solicitude, but I believe there is no ground for alarm, for I think that the Ex-Speaker, while differing with many other Democrats upon a re adjustment of the tariff, realizes the necessity of a reduction of taxation, and will agree to a fair compromise that in a large degree will accomplish the result so greatly desired, and to which the Democratic party so solemnly pledged itself in the platform of the Chicago Convention.

Surprise is expressed in some quarters that Ex-Speaker Carlisle has taken no testimony in the contested election proceedings filed against him by Thobe. Mr. Carlisle says, in an interview, that he took no testimony because it was unnecessary for him to do so, as the contestant only alleged the casting of four fraudulent votes for the contestee, and that as his majority in the District was 825, such a claim, if admitted, could not change the result. Under such circumstances it would be simply preposterous for the contestee to produce evidence.

The project to open a fine roadway from the Aqueduct Bridge in this city to the tomb of Washington, to be called Mt. Vernon Avenue, seems to meet with great public favor, and there can be little doubt that the work will be done, as the popular support, both of the citizens of the District of Columbia and of Alexandria county, Virginia, which is becoming enlisted in behalf of this truly patriotic and politic undertaking, seems to warrant such a conclusion. There will be a public meeting at Alexandria on the 15th inst, to consider the matter.

A memorable and important work in the religious world is the location of the great Catholic University in the city of Washington. The estimate of the cost and endowment of this great work is the immense sum of $8,000,000, of which amount $700,000 is already in hand. It is designed to upbuild here a grand university that will favorably compare with the far-famed seats of learning of the old world.

On the 17th inst, the President and his wife, the Governor of the original thirteen States and other dignitaries will attend the celebration of the Constitutional Centennial at Philadelphia, and a great time is expected. It is hoped that the events of the day will be in keeping with the spirit of the occasion, and that there will be no outburst of partisan feeling by thoughtless enthusiasts.

Such serious conflicts of opinion have arisen etween the members of the Civil Service Commissioner over the question of the right of removal of clerks, that there is some talk of the resignation of the President, Mr. Edgerton, who holds that the appointing power has the authority to dismiss employes in the classified service absolutely, without specifying the cause—that this power is extremely limited. It is expected that the President will be finally called upon to settle the controversy.

Despite the carping criticism of a few malcontents, the International Medical Congress, which has just adjourned to meet in Berlin two years hence, has been a great success—fully realizing the expectations of its projectors and conferring lasting blessings and benefits upon mankind in the rapid strides made in scientific development and the improved treatment of diseases.

East Benton.

Mrs. Freeman D. Bower, of Berwick, previous to her 50th birthday anniversary on Saturday, Sept. 10th, sent out invitations to all the families of her brothers and sisters and father including her mother-in-law and Mr. Frank Fowler's family, all of whom responded to the number of 25 or 30, except the families of one brother and a sister, whose presence was most confidently expected and were undoubtedly providentially absent. The day was a delightful one, and all enjoyed this retreat from the long protracted monotony of farm trudgery and shop work to a family reunion and a feast of the most delicious grapes and a bountiful repast of rare delicacies. But as every rose has its thorn, so every pleasure has its pang. The party dispersed full of glee and good wishes and "all come and see us," buoyant with hope and gladness. But before they reached the mountain, down the hill near George Miller's on their homeward journey an accident occurred which caused Emandus Bender's team to run away, partly demolishing the wagon, throwing the occupants and seriously injuring Mrs. Daniel Wenner, Emandus and Clem Bender and slightly Mrs. Bender, Mr. Daniel Wenner having jumped out before the wreck and escaped injury. After gathering up the fragments and wounded the excitement somewhat subsided, and the injured ones placed into other vehicles, the party again proceeded on their journey across the mountain, but pains and groans superseded the recalling of the enjoyments of the day. No one ever knows what besets his way.

W. E. Lutz, of Sugarloaf, has the agency to insure live stock for the Mifflinburg Live Stock Insurance Co. He is an honest, deserving young man and all who desire to insure in said company can do no better than to patronize this young man.

The Harvest Home services two weeks ago last Sunday at St. James, were very profitable and instructive. The church was suitably decorated in commemoration of the event and the attendance quite large, notwithstanding campmeeting attractions allured some from the duties of the day.

Seeding, as usual, is an irregular affair. Some have finished long ago; some one-half done, and others have not yet commenced; but next spring all things will be even again.

Corn cuttings are now in order. Pass them around.

If there is any virtue in the muskrat then look out this Winter.

We were informed somo weeks ago by the Asbury correspoddent that the W. & W. R. R. Co. had made their "final survey" via Jonestown and that the "Cambra fellows must feel badly." From present appearances the survey was "final" but the "Cambra fellows" do not "feel so badly."

The people have at last awakened to the realities of the snorting and puffing of the iron horse up Fishingcreek which in their dreamy improbabilities thought to be the next thing to an impossibility. The roaring noise of the moving train, bell and whistle are distinctly heard in our locality every morning and evening as it passes up and down the creek.

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County.

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CYRUS B. McHENRY,
Of Fishingcreek.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE SEVERAL COURTS,
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FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
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FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
CHARLES H. CAMPBELL,
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
WILLIAM G. GIRTON,
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JESSE RITTENHOUSE,
Of Beaver.

FOR AUDITORS,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
Of Catawissa.
A. W. HARTMAN,
Of Fishingcreek.

TRIAL LIST FOR SEPT. TERM, 1887

Frederick Hosier, to use, &c, vs D H & W. R. R. Co.
Citizens Sa'e Deposit Bank of Mahanoy City vs Josiah Phillips.
Lydia Robbins' adm'r vs Jacob B Stoker's adm'r.
H E Hemlock vs Wm Masteller.
John Hinderliter, e. ux, vs Lloyd Brandon, et ux.
Theodore F. Craig vs Mahala Craig et al.
Charles W McKelvy et al vs C B Brockway.
Jonas Doty's adm'rs et al vs John Suit.
Patrick Burns vs L A Riley & Co.
C B Brockway vs Columbia County.
J B Patton vs A P Heller.
Curtis Mfg Co vs Clark I Thomas.
Wm Krickbaum vs John B Casey.
L H Fowler vs C D Fowler.
Andrew Fowler vs C D Fowler.
J H Hoyt vs Boro of Berwick.
Franklin Yocum, guardian vs Wm Zahner et al.
Mathias Kindt vs Charles Sands et al.
Wm Shannon vs Charles Gearhart.
Rohr McHenry's use vs E J McHenry's adm'x.
Catawissa Deposit Bank vs Isabella Weaver.
Ira Hess vs John F. Chaplin.
Peter Good's Ex'rs vs Nelson Press et al.
James Pollock vs Wm H Vandersloe.
Maud A Hartman vs Wm F Wolliver.
A. D. Fisher vs Zachariah Kretscher.
S W Adams vs A B Croop.
M A Marsle vs Berwick Borough.
M G Hughes et al vs Catawissa Circ't M E church
B F Gardner vs Bloomsburg S & E L Co
A Gordner vs G. W Robbins.
Louisa Griffith vs John Kress.
Louisa Griffith vs John Kress et ux.
Henry C. Snyder vs Jackson & Woodin Mfg Co.
E B Brower vs George Stricker.
Daniel Rudy, receiver, vs. Cordelia Kisner.

GRAND JURY FOR SEP. TERM, 1887.

Beaver—Simon Rittenhouse.
Berwick—Geo C Fenstermacher.
Bloom—Wm Kramer, James M Walter, David Fisher, Jas Lenon.
Briarcreek—S J Conner.
Catawissa—Frank McKelvy, Luther Eyer, Tobias Bensinger.
Centre—Pierce Harpenbuch.
Fishingcreek—Chas Kramer.
Greenwood—P H Girton.
Jackson—F L Hess, Ezra Stephens.
Locust—C E Stine, Samuel Camp, A B Walter.
Madison—G W Murphy.
Mifflin—Chas Steely.
Mt Pleasant—Thos Ornan.
Orange—John Kitchen, A W Allabach, Harry Sharpless.

TRAVERSE JURORS FOR SEP. T., 1887.

Berwick—John Harman.
Bloom—B H Vannatta, Joseph Garrison, Robert McBride, Evan Jones.
Catawissa—G W Reifsnyder, Jacob Shuman, John R Delwer, Lloyd Miller, Wm Berninger, Stephen Ballor.
Centralia—W Fortner.
Centre—Isaiah Hartman.
Conyngham—Andrew Donahue, Patrick Brennan
Fishingcreek—John M Buckalew, W W Sutliff, Philip Appleman, Jr., John Hastel.
Greenwood—Samuel McHenry, Ezra Thomas, Albert Heacock.
Locust—L H Daniels, Cornelius Fetterman.
Main—Boyd A Hawk.
Mifflin—J W Winterstoen.
Montour—Wm Trowbridge.
Mt Pleasant—G M Ikeler.
Roaringcreek—Francis Reichart, Frank Yocum.
Scott—Jacob Shultz, Edward Hartman, Henry Dietrick, Lewis Hess.
Sugarloaf—John Kile, Geo Moore.

SECOND WEEK.

Beaver—Jacob Bake'r, Isaac Lohr, Benj. Michael.
Berwick—Lahman Fowler, Burt Garrison, W A Hagenbuch, F O McMurtrie.
Bloom—Thos Gorrey, A C Brown.
Briarcreek—Moses Mark'e.
Catawissa—Samuel Fagley, John Breisch.
Centralia—Henry Coddington.
Centre—H R Remley, T D Robbins.
Conyngham—John J Bourke.
Fishingcreek—Henry Fulmer, Stephen Dresher.
Franklin—Jerry Kostenbander.
Greenwood—A M Kramer, Nehemiah Kitchen, David Brady.
Locust—Ranslo George, Joseph Bieber.
Madison—Cyrus Demott, Thomas Mordan.
Main—J A Hartzel.
Montour—Isaiah Ballor.
Orange—Nathan Fleckenstine.
Pine—Wm Greenly, Jacob Long.
Roaringcreek—Daniel Rarig.
Scott—C B Pursel, B F Reichart, Geo W Troxon.

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STRAYED COW.

Came to the house of John Monroe, South Centre township, August 19, 1887, a dark brown cow, large horns, white star on forehead, white spots on hip. Owner can have same, by proving property and paying damages, and for this notice. Otherwise it will be disposed of according to law.

JOHN MONROE,
sep9-3t. Ashland, Schuylkill Co., Pa.

NOTICE TO SATISFY MORTGAGE.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF COLUMBIA, ss:

Among the records and proceedings of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said county and state it is, inter alia, thus contained:

No. May Term, 1887.

PETITION TO SATISFY MORTGAGE.

To Henry Cramond, his heirs and legal representatives:

You are hereby notified that Jonathan Hartman, of Greenwood township, said county, has petitioned the Court of Common Pleas of said county, representing to said Court that on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1845, a certain mortgage was executed and delivered by Nicholas Cole, of Greenwood township, aforesaid, to Henry Cramond, of Philadelphia, said state, on a messuage and tract of land, situate in said Greenwood township, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone heap corner, thence by land of Michael Rantz, north seventy-four degrees west one hundred and seventy-three perches to a post, thence by the Galbreth & Co. land, north eighteen and one-half degrees east one hundred and thirty-five and five-tenths perches to a white pine; thence by other lands of said H. Cramond, south 74 degrees east two hundred and twenty-seven perches to a post by the road; thence along same south sixty-five and one-half degrees west seventy-three perches; thence along same south thirty-nine degrees west thirty perches; thence along same south fifteen degrees west forty perches; thence south eleven degrees west fifteen and five-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and fifty-one acres of land, more or less, to secure the payment of a certain bond or writing obligatory, dated the day and year aforesaid in the penalty of five hundred and sixty-two and eighty one hundredths dollars, conditioned for the payment in three installments as follows, of the just sum of two hundred and eighty-one and forty one hundredths dollars, viz: One-third on the first day of May, 1846, one-third on the first day of May, 1847, one-third on the first day of May, 1848, with legal interest on the same from the said 8th day of November, A. D. 1845, which said mortgage is recorded in the office for the recording of deeds, &c., at Bloomsburg, in and for said county of Columbia, in Mortgage Book 3, page 172, &c.

The petition further represents, That the said Nicholas Cole died intestate on or about the 20th day of June, A. D. 1879, and that all the money due on said mortgage, principal and interest, was paid by said Nicholas Cole, during his lifetime, to the said mortgagee above named, and who is still the legal holder thereof, and who has neglected to satisfy the same, and continued in such neglect for more than six months last past.

And that since the death of the said Nicholas Cole, his heirs, by deed duly executed, and dated the 30th day of March, 1886, and recorded in the said above-mentioned office, in Deed Book Vol. 40, page 52, conveyed the said above-described piece of land to Peter W. Cole, who, by deed dated April 2, 1887, with his wife, Martha E. Cole, conveyed the said premises to your petitioner, (see Deed Book, Vol.) who is now the legal owner of said premises, and by reason of the said mortgage on said premises remaining unsatisfied, there is a cloud cast on the title of your petitioner, and praying that notice of these facts may be given to the said Henry Cramond, his heirs or legal representatives, requiring him or them to appear at the next term of said Court, and answer this petition, and in case proof shall be made that the amount of said mortgage, and the interest thereon, has been paid as aforesaid, that the Court will order satisfaction to be entered on the record of the same by the Recorder of said county, on payment of the costs due relative to the entry of said mortgage, or any proceedings thereon, and that such other orders may be made in the premises as by the act of Assembly in that behalf, passed and approved the 11th day of June, A. D. 1879.

You are therefore required to be and appear at the next Court of Common Pleas, to be holden in Bloomsburg, in and for said county, on Monday, the 26th day of September next, and answer the petition aforesaid, and show cause, if any you have, why the said mortgage shall not be marked satisfied, according to the prayer of said petitioner.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

IKELER & HERRING, Atty's for Petioners.
Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Aug. 26, 1887.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, September 26, 1887,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain messuage or tract of land, situate in Locust township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by land of Benjamin Beaver, on the east by land of Jonathan Beaver, on the south by land of Jacob H. Long and on the west by land of Catharine Helwig, containing five acres, wood land.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Peter Swank vs. John Oliver, adm'r of John Boyer, dec'd, and to be sold as the property of John Boyer, dec'd.

IKELER & HERRING, Atty's. Plu. Fi. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land, situate in Centre township, Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Charles Whitmire, on the west by lands of Levi Aikman, on the south by lands of Widow Peiter, and on the east by lands of Simon Lowry, containing two acres, more or less, whereon are erected a two-story frame house, stable and other outbuildings. Also, a lot of fruit trees.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Jacob Lynn and Levi Lynn.

ZARR, Atty. Fi. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or tract of land, situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, Pa. Beginning at a post in line of land formerly Abraham Adams, thence north fifty-nine and one-half degrees east sixty nine and seven-tenths perches to a stone, thence north seven degrees west twenty-eight perches to a stone, thence by a public road south forty-three and one-half degrees west 18 and 8-10 perches to a stone, thence south forty-nine degrees ten minutes east forty and three-tenths perches to a stone, thence south fifty-four degrees west, twenty perches to a stone, thence south seven degrees east, thirteen and nine-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing eight acres and eleven perches, on which are erected a one and a half story frame dwelling house, stable and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Alfred Smith.

JACKSON, Atty. Fi. Fa.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

SATURDAY, October 1, 1887,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in Owen's Addition to the town of Berwick, Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Fifth street, on the east by land of Mrs. Fay, on the south by an alley, and on the west by land of E. Klinger, being forty-nine and a half feet on Fifth street and one hundred and sixty-five feet in depth, on which are erected a two-story frame dwelling and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Julius J. Hoft vs. Adam C. Heller, and to be sold as the property of Adam C. Heller.

JACKSON, Atty. Fi. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or tenement and lot of ground, situate in the town of Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner of an alley, on the south side of Fifth street, north sixty-four and one-eighth degrees east fifty-five and a half feet, thence by land of Isaac S. Kuhn south twenty-nine and a quarter degrees east one hundred and fifty five feet to Pearle street, thence along the same south sixty-one degrees west, fifty-six and a half feet to the alley aforesaid, and thence along said alley north nine degrees west one hundred and fifty-eight feet to the place of beginning.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Abraham Rice, executor of John Hoats, dec'd, vs. Chas. Ahleman, with notice to Charles Krug, terre tenant, and to be sold as the property of Chas. Ahleman, with notice to Chas. Krug, terre tenant.

KNORR & WINTERSTEEN, Attys. Al. Lev. Fa.
SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

ELECTION NOTICE.

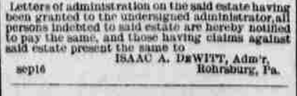
Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Water Company will be held in Bloomsburg on Tuesday, October 11, 1887, at the office of F. P. Billmeyer, between the hours of two and four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business of the Company. F. P. BILLMEYER,
sep16-4t. secretary.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Isaac D. Patton, late of Greenwood Township.

Letters of administration on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned administrator, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

ISAAC A. DEWITT, Adm'r,
sep16 Rohrsburg, Pa.



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PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

The undersigned, administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed, under direction in the will and by authority of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, will expose to sale, by public vendue, upon the premises, on

THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain farm and tract of land, situate, lying and being in Liberty township, Montour county, Pa., and bounded by lands of John Robinson, lands of William Kerr, lands of Gideon M. Shoop, lands of Samuel Gigger containing

191 ACRES

and fifty-seven perches, strict measure, as ascertained by a recent survey; and of which about sixty acres is

WOOD LAND.

The farm lies upon the public road leading from Danville to Milton at the forks of the road leading to Lewisburg, and is situated at a point about equally distant from each one of these three important towns, the distance being about eight miles from each. The improvements consist of a

Large Bank Barn,

wagon shed and outbuildings and a large

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

and a stone spring house, &c. There are several springs of excellent water and two or three brooks running on the farm. Possession will be given on the first day of April, A. D. 1888. The tenant's share of the crop in the ground, at the day of the sale, with the right to enter, cut, thresh and remove the grain, is reserved. The share of the distributees in the same, goes with the farm.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date.

The purchase money unpaid at the first of April, 1888, to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises, before possession given.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
Adm'r d. b. n., c. t. a.
Bloomsburg, Pa., Sept. 16, 1887.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

The undersigned, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Samuel Mellick, dec'd, under the will and by authority of the Orphans Court of Columbia county, will expose to public sale, on the premises, in Orange township, on

SATURDAY, September 24, 1887,

at one o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at a white oak stump, thence by lands of Cyrus McHenry, north twenty-five degrees west forty-seven perches to a black oak, thence by land of Cyrus McHenry and Hiram E. Bowman north eighteen degrees east twenty-one perches to a stone, thence by land of Hiram E. Bowman north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west sixty-seven and six-tenths perches to a stone, thence by lands of Samuel Nolton, south eighty and one-half degrees west fifty-one and eight-tenths perches to a chestnut, thence by lands of Samuel W. ——— south thirty and one-half degrees east thirty-four perches to a post, thence by lands of Andrew Crouse north seventy-seven degrees east seventy-three perches and three tenths, to the place of beginning, containing

33 ACRES

of land, strict measure.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi. Purchaser to pay for drawing deed.

See bills for personal property.

JOHN A. FUNSTON, Adm'r,
sep2 With the will annexed.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. WILLIAM ELWELL President Judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and the Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court in the 26th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Columbia and Montour, and the Hons. C. G. Murphy and C. R. McHenry, Associate Judges of Columbia county have issued their precept, bearing date the 14th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court, in Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, on the fourth Monday, being the 26th day of Sept. next to continue for two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, to the Justices of the Peace, and the Constables of the said County of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said 26th day of Sept. with their records inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those that are bound by recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or may be in the jail of the said county of Columbia, to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeably to their notices. Dated at Bloomsburg the 24th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the one hundred and eleventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

SAMUEL SMITH,
Sheriff's Office, Sheriff

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENTS.

The following Widow's Appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1887, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute:

Reuben Bogart, Est., Hemlock. Personalty, $300.
Daniel Bowman, Est., Bloomsburg. Personalty, $51.90.
Anton Schwartz, Est. Hemlock. Personalty, $300.
Frederick Derr. Est., Madison. Personalty, $800.
William Whitenight, Est., Fishingcreek. Personalty, $300.
Samuel Beck, Est., Mifflin. Personalty, $300.
David Lowenberg, Est., Bloomsburg. Personalty, $300.
James Everett, Est., Greenwood. Personalty, $214.70.
Noah Arndt, Est., Montour. Personalty, $122 84. Realty, $177.16. Total, $300.
Jesse Wertman, Est., Montour. Personalty, $141 70. Realty, $156 30. Total, $300.
William Mensinger, Est., Beaver. Personalty, $14.75. Realty, $285.75. Total, $350.
Isaac Whipple, Est., Madison. Realty, $300.
Thos. Polk, Est., Madison. Realty, $300.

WM. H. SNYDER, Clerk of O. C.
Clerk's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Sep. 9, 1887.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following account has been filed in the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, and will be presented to the said Court on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1887, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute:

1. Account of J. H. Hetler, Trustee, under the last will and testament of Henry G. Miller, late of Columbia county, deceased.

WM. H. SNYDER, Clerk of O. C.
Clerk's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Sep. 2, 1887.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of S. A. Caswell, Deceased.

Letters testamentary on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned Executor, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate will present the same for settlement to E. C. CASWELL, Executor,
Sauget.* Bloomsburg, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah Hoats, late of Beaver Township, Deceased.

Letters testamentary on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned executors, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

P. R. FISHER,
J. T. FOX,
sep2*6t. Executors.

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AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

PROPOSED to the citizens of this Commonwealth for their approval or rejection by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the commonwealth.

SECTION 1. *Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met,* That the following is proposed and as an amendment of the constitution of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

AMENDMENT.

Strike out from section one, of article eight, the four qualifications for voters which reads as follows:

"If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," so that the section which reads as follows:

"Every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed thereform and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," shall be amended, so as to read as follows:

Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at the polling place of the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least thirty days.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least thirty days immediately preceding the election. The legislature, at the session thereof next after the adoption of this section, shall, and from time to time thereafter may, enact laws to properly enforce this provision.

Fourth. Every male citizen of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a citizen for thirty days and an inhabitant of this state for one year next preceding an election, except at municipal elections, and for the last thirty days a resident of the election district in which he may offer his vote, at all be entitled to vote at such election in the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere for all officers that now are or hereafter may be elected by the people: *Provided*, That in time of war no elector in the actual military service of the state or of the United States, in the army or navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from such election district, and the legislature shall have power to provide the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the return and canvas of their votes in the election district in which they respectively reside.

Fifth. For the purpose of voting, no person shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his presence or absence while employed in the service of the United States or the State, nor while engaged on the navigation of the waters of the State nor of the high seas, nor while a student of any college or seminary of learning, nor while kept at any almshouse or public institution, except the inmates of any home for disabled and indigent soldiers and sailors, who, for the purpose of voting, shall be deemed to reside in the election district where said home is located. Laws shall be made for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage hereby established.

A true copy of the joint resolution.

CHARLES W. STONE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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The Columbian

BLOOMSBURG, PA

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1887.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:14 a. m.	11:27 a. m.
3:10 p. m.	6:30 p. m.

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Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:12 a. m.	8:32 a. m.
11:07 a. m.	12:03 p. m.
2:55 p. m.	4:18 p. m.
6:36 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

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Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloomberry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:46 a. m.	11:54 a. m.
2:46 p. m.	4:19 p. m.
4:36 p. m.	5:36 p. m.

SUNDAY.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:16 a m	6:39 p m

SALES.

OCTOBER 29. The widow and heirs of H. R. Kline deceased will sell two farms and a mountain tract in Orange township at 1 o'clock p. m. See posters.

John A. Funston, administrator of the estate of Samuel Mellick, deceased, will sell valuable real estate on the premises in Orange township, Saturday, September 24th at 1 o'clock p. m.

FOR RENT.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—The Music Hall, formerly Eureka Rink, is offered for sale or rent on reasonable terms by the new manager. Parties wishing to hold festivals will do well to see the manager.

J. D. SHAFFER, Manager.

Farmer Wanted.

A farmer of experience and character may obtain a five-years' lease of a small farm (111 acres) upon advantageous terms on the Girard Estate Lands in the Catawissa Valley between Brandonville and Girard Manor. The farm is provided with a new, handsome and convenient house, new barn and outbuildings, and is well supplied with good water.

A man is wanted who can furnish his own stock and equipment, and may become a permanent tenant. Also, a farmer wanted to occupy house on farm at wages. References requested.

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MRS. WM. PFEIFFER,
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To All Whom it May Concern.

Take notice, that at a meeting held by the Liquor Men's Protective Association of Columbia county, Pa., it was unanimously agreed to notify all persons engaged in the liquor business, with or without license, that we give all constables notice for the last time to make a true and correct return to Court of any person or persons violating the liquor law.

The constables neglecting their duties as such will be reported to the proper authority by the Association, to be dealt with according to law.

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LIQUOR MEN'S PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

BOARDERS WANTED — Parties attending Court can be accommodated with good boarding at Mrs. Jacoby's, corner of Main and Market streets, in First National Bank building. sep9.

To close out certain lines of wedding invitations a number of bargains are offered at this office. Those wanting sma.l lots, from 10 to 25, will save money by ordering at the COLUMBIAN office. tf

GOOD BOARDING AT MODERATE PRICES.—Those attending Court should call at the undersigned for boarding at moderate prices. WM. BEERS,
sep9. Cor. Main and West Sts.

NOTICE.—Harvey Heacock holds a note of thirty-dollars dated June 1st 1887 against me payable in 9 months. All persons are warned against purchasing said note, as I have a good defense to the whole of it, and will not pay it unless compelled by law.

AMBROSE SIDLER, Lightstreet, Pa.

WANTED!—Two Apprentices to learn pantsmaking. Apply at Lowenberg's. aug26

The price of envelopes has been recently advanced by the manufacturers, but we have in stock 40,000 that will be sold just as low as ever, with your business card printed on the same. Ask for prices. tf.

Personal.

Miss Annie Ent is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

C. W. McKelvy is attending the Constitutional Centennial at Philadelphia.

Misses Annie and Lou Jameson and Ellie Fox went to Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Representative Fritz, J. M. Clark, Esq. and G. E. Elwell are attending the Centennial.

Wm. A. Marr Esq. and J. Harry James Esq., of Ashland, were in town on Monday on legal business.

F. T. Ikeler, John Herring, F. A. Ikeler and Matthew McReynolds returned to Lafayette College the forepart of this week.

E. F. Smith and J. C. Reifsnyder departed on Monday for Bellevue College, New York, and Jefferson College, Phila., respectively.

Fall house-cleaning time is at hand.

First class cider barrels for sale at C. B. Robbins'. 9sep4t

Weather prophets are already foretelling an early and severe winter.

Remnants of Cassimeres—just the thing for boys' pants—at Lowenberg's.

Boys and girls with school books are now familiar sights upon our streets.

An elegant line of FALL HATS,
Just received at Lowenberg's.

Wiggins, the Canadian weather prophet, is again at work. He predicts a big storm on the 19th of this month.

Good cheap Cassimeres sold at great bargains, by the yard, at
Lowenberg's.

If you have not already done so, begin now to prepare for the fair. Bring your best productions for exhibition.

It is rumored that Williamsport is to have a new weekly newspaper, with Mr. Charles T. Huston as owner and editor.

Slates! Slates! Large assortment of slates, single or double, book slates. All sizes and prices at Clark's book store. s9.

There will be a big time here next Monday. A circus and a comedy company with a brass band will stir up the town, all in one day.

Miss Annie Beckley and Mr. James Leidy were united in marriage last Tuesday morning by Rev. F. B. Riddle, at the home of the bride.

The Brown re-union at Oak Grove Thursday of last week was well attended. Three hundred and fifty registered as members of the Brown family.

50 dozen more of the Wonderful White Shirt at 45c. each at Lowenberg's.

The sound of the roller skates will soon be heard again.

Underclothing—great bargains—must be sold. Call and see. At Lowenberg's.

Wm. Robbins, of Iola, died at his home there last Tuesday evening at 9 o'clock, aged 73 years. Burial services will be held to-day (Friday) at 11 o'clock.

A full line of FALL AND WINTER SUITINGS. Call and see the new styles at Lowenberg's. Perfect fit and perfect satisfaction always guaranteed.

The fall work of the farmers this year will be very much in advance of other years, and already there is a demand for hands to meet the requirements of the season.

"To discontinue an advertisement, says John Wanamaker, the largest advertiser in the world, "is like taking down a sign. If you want to do business you must let the public know it."

Mr. Alfred McHenry, of Benton, has adopted the ready-pay system at his store. He has just returned from the city with a well selected stock of general merchandise, and is selling goods very low for cash.

We are informed by Mr. Beckley that he never offered to accept the principalship of the public schools at a less salary than $1000, and that he did not authorize anyone to make any other proposition for him.

A large crowd of citizens went with the G. A. R. and band on Thursday of last week to Shenandoah to attend Grand Army Day there, and all had a good time. The celebration of this day will be held here next year.

John Watters, the efficient supervisor of the east end of Scott township, has erected guide boards at every corner and cross road. There are still some supervisors in other townships who would do well by following his example.

T. A. Kennedy, the affable advance agent of Miller, Stowe & Freeman's New United Monster Railroad Circus, Museum and Menagerie, was in town on Thursday of last week making arrangements for the exhibition on the 19th.

A large number of young people gathered at Winona Hall last Friday to spend a pleasant evening in dancing. Metherall's orchestra furnished the music and all had a very enjoyable time. A number were present from a distance.

Rev. D. J. Johnson, pastor of the A. M. E. church at Espy, will attend conference in West Virginia next month. A subscription book has been circulated by his friends to raise funds for the trip, and the call has been liberally responded to.

Mr. James H. Mercer has just put out a handsome sign in front of his drug and book store. It is in the shape of a large book. It is beautifully ornamented and lettered in gilt. Wm. Brobst, the artistic painter, did the designing and lettering.

Mrs. Holland McHenry went to Philadelphia, Monday, for the purpose of buying a fine stock of general merchandise for the fall trade. Goods will be opened early next week, when the public are respectfully invited to call and see goods and low prices.

Mr. B. R. Yetter at Mainville has yet remaining from his stock of Western horses five horses, all under six years, and five mules. These are all well broken, sound, and will make first-class teams. Those in need of horses should call upon him at once.

Mr. E. A. Strong, who has been editor of the *Sullivan Review* for seven years past, closed his connection with that paper with last week's issue. Mr. Fred Newell, foreman of the *Review* office, has bought the paper, which he will continue to edit as an independent journal.

School books, school stationery; everything needed in school work, at Clark's book store. sep9.

C. F. Bomboy has the contract for all the iron work in the Espy boat yard. He is an excellent workman, and has a large horse-shoeing trade besides. His father, P. E. Bomboy, an old and skilled mechanic, assists him, and together they turn out a great deal of work.

The Town of Bloomsburg has issued three thousand dollars in 4 per cent bonds, to pay off the floating debt, and to make some needed improvements. These bonds are first class security. Any one desiring to invest should call on Samuel Neyhard, secretary of the Town Council. 2w.

Mr. Wm. Hartzel of Hetlerville, has built two more fish ponds which he expects to stock with German carp this fall. Mr. Hartzel stocked one pond last spring and is so well satisfied with the result that he now expects to put in over one thousand small carp, which will be large enough for table use by next fall.

Rules, pens, inks, pencils, pads, tablets, drawing books at Clark's book store.

H. V. White & Co's grain house near the D. L. & W. depot was broken into either last Saturday or Sunday night, and a quantity of timothy seed and flour taken. Which night the robbery was committed is not known, as it was not discovered until Monday morning. Entrance was effected by breaking in the door with a railroad tie.

Mrs. M. A. Smith is ready to begin her fall term in music. Pupils can begin at any time, and can take one or two lessons a week, either at their homes, or at the teacher's residence, as it suits their convenience. The prices are the same as charged by other teachers. For particulars call at residence, Mrs. Ent's house, next door to Dr. Wilhitts' office. tf

A very large supply of tablets, books, and all necessaries for school work at Mercer's.

Mr. Wm. Boyles, the foreman in the smith shops of the Jackson & Woodin Manufacturing Co., has been in the employ of that company for many years. He also assists in looking after some of the departments of the rolling mill. He is a good mechanic, a whole souled genial fellow, very obliging, and is held in high esteem by his employers as well as his fellow workmen. It is a great satisfaction to have such men in employ.

Shipping tags, with or without strings at the COLUMBIAN office.

W. L. Fornwald has made a great improvement in his tonsorial rooms in Lockard's building at the corner of Main and Centre streets. The partition between the room which he formerly occupied and the room next to it has been taken out and an arch placed between the two rooms, thereby making one large room. The case and chairs have been placed in the back room, thus making more room and better accomodations for his customers. Will has now one of the handsomest establishments in this section.

Books, bags, book straps, school companions, at Clark's book store. sep9.

Collectors' receipt books and notices for sale at this office. tf.

It is said that certain large mercantile houses in New York and Philadelphia take copies of various country papers published in places where these mercantile houses sell goods. They claim they are never afraid to sell a man on credit any amount of goods he may want if they are confident he advertises and is one of the go-ahead merchants in his place. They take country newspapers to ascertain just what the leading merchant is doing and they can form a pretty correct estimate from the way in which he advertises just what kind of a man he is.

A fine line of box papers, just open. Ask to see them. All prices at Clark's book store. sep9.

The Berks county Fair, to be held at Reading during the four days commencing Tuesday, September 20th, promises to be as usual a great event. It is claimed that it will be the largest and most attractive agricultural exhibition ever held in the county. The races will be a prominent feature. The view from the grounds is one of the finest in the State, embracing the entire city of Reading and the greater portions of the beautiful Schuylkill and Lebanon valleys. Excursions with bands of music are coming from a number of points, and visitors from a distance will meet with a most cordial reception.

A handsome line of Fall Overcoats—just received at Lowenberg's.

A large and enthusiastic audience greeted the Moore and Vivian company at the Potter Opera House last night, and laughed and cheered at "Our Jonathan," a comedy well intended to fit Mr. Moore and Miss Vivian. While the play abounds in mirthful songs, sayings and situations, it also comprises tragic and pathetic features, hence there is something in it to please every auditor. The company strive to present a clean and entertaining amusement, and the verdict of last night's audience was decidedly favorable.—*Amsterdam Sentinel.*

Bloomsburg Opera House on Monday, Sept. 19th.

For school supplies go to Mercer's drug and book store. sep9-2t.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending Sept. 13, 1887:

Miss Baldwin, Miss Bertha Baldwin, Miss Jennie W. Bailey, J. S. Christian, C. B. Hallenbach, Gettie Hess, Clyde Hirleman, Miss Katie Horne, Samuel Jackson, Miss Millie Kistler, Miss Eva Masteller, Miss Katie A. Miller, Miss Katie Miller, R. B. Robons, George Scheinman, B. U. Slone (2), H. N. Shollenberger, George Trump.

CARDS.

Jacob Dundore, Mrs. Fannie Smith.

PACKAGES.

L. H. Kline.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M.

The Evangelical church in this place, was rededicated Sunday afternoon, September 11th. For some time past the painters have been at work on the interior of the church and have made it in appearance a new structure The walls have been calcimined and ornamented, the seats repainted, the pulpit, and surrounding walls handsomely embelished, and the floor carpeted. All this work has made considerable expense, but the congregation set to work and secured enough funds to meet all except about $75. This sum was readily raised Sunday afternoon, and thus the whole indebtedness provided for. The services Sunday afternoon were conducted by Rev. Mr. Baumgardner of Danville. A choir of mostly female voices came down from Light Street to assist in the music. In the evening special services were held and more money raised, as it is the purpose of the congregation to proceed at once to pencil and paint the outside of the building, repair the steeple and possibly enclose the building with a suitable fence.

"Our Jonathan."

Moore & Vivian and their celebrated company appeared here in the Leland Opera House, to a large and fashionable audience last night, when the beautiful play of "Our Jonathan" was produced for the first time in this city. Mr. Moore (as Jonathan, a whole souled Yankee full of grit, etc.) kept the audience in screams of laughter from the rising of the curtain in the first act until the end of the play. Of Miss Vivian, too much cannot be said, she is a beautiful and accomplished young lady, and gained the sympathy of the audience at once. She has a charming voice and was repeatedly encored during the evening, and as an actress she is first-class, and we can only say that those who missed seeing this company in their great play, have missed one of the greatest treats of the season and as Mr. Moore has made arrangements to play a return date, we would advise all who wish to spend an evening of fun to attend this great show on their return here.—*Albany Evening Journal*, (N. Y.).

This company will play at the Bloomsburg Opera House next Monday evening, September 19th. Look out for the parade of the dude band at noon.

A Venturesome Amusement Venture.

A Circus and Menagerie for only Ten and Twenty Cents Admission! A Circus complete in every detail introducing every equestrian act, every gymnastic or acrobatic feature and every salient specialty that go to making arenic exhibitions popular, and presenting a large and commendable collection of rare beasts and birds, all for Ten and Twenty Cents! This is just what Miller, Stowe & Freeman are doing and are not only doing it but are doing it well and are winning golden opinions from press and public everywhere. The astonishment is how they can do this without impoverishing their treasury and ending in financial disaster. Their circulars and posters effectually solve this problem and are well worth reading. James Robinson, the champion bare back rider of the world, and the only James Stowe, the great hurdle and four-horse rider, are with this Circus. Their show is to exhibit here on Monday, September 19th.

Centennial Arch.

Visitors to the Centennial at Philadelphia must not fail to see the beautiful Arch constructed by A. C. Yates & Co. the largest Clothing House in the City, at 6th and Chestnut Sts.

No expense has been spared to render this structure the finest of the kind ever erected in Philadelphia, and becomes another evidence of the enterprise and push of this popular firm.

Our readers are advised to call and view this magnificent Arch, which will be illuminated every evening, and at the same time to step inside and examine their Fall and Winter Stock, composed of the best made Clothing in Philadelphia.

I had kidney disorder and say for the good of others that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite remedy cured me. Rev. S. C. Chandler, Lebanon Springs, N. Y. I had stone in the bladder and gravel in the kidneys. I used Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy and am now well.—E. D. Parsons, Rochester, N. Y. Price $1. Send 2-cent stamp to Dr. Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y., for a book on kidney, liver and blood disorders. Mention this paper. sep2d4t.

Constitutional Centennial Celebration at Philadelphia.

The centennial anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States will be celebrated in Philadelphia, on September 15th, 16th and 17th. The commission having the matter in charge has devoted much care and attention to the detail of the various forms of entertainment provided for the occasion, and the celebration as a whole bids fair to surpass anything of the kind seen in this country, while many individual features will possess not only a national but an historic interest,

Thursday, September 15th, is assigned for a grand Industrial Display. It will illustrate the customs, characteristics, commerce, arts, implements of industry, &c., of 1787 compared with those in use at the present time. This display moving in long procession, mounted upon immense floats, promises to be of unusual interest and beauty, and will afford ocular demonstration of the changes and progress in the first century of our constitutional existence. In the evening Governor Beaver, of Pennsylvania, will hold a public reception at the Academy of Music.

On Friday, September 16th, there will be a grand military parade and review in which the militia of the various States will take part, assisted by detachments of United States regulars and marines, and sailors from the ships of war in the harbor. Fully fifteen thousand men will be in line, and the display will without doubt be the finest seen in this club since the war. In the evening a reception will be held in honor of the President of the United States and the representatives of foreign governments.

On Saturday, September the 17th, special commemorative services will be held in Independence Square, presided over by President Cleveland. The oration will be delivered by Mr. Justice Miller of the Supreme Court, and the singing of national hymns by the children of the Public Schools will be a prominent feature, while the music will be furnished by the Marine Band of Washington.

In order to accomodate all those who may desire to attend, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Philadelphia, Sept. 13th to 17th, inclusive, good to return until September 20th, inclusive, from all stations on its main line and branches, at a single fare for the round trip.

A Great Game.

After a whole summer of victories the Bloomsburg base-ball nine has at last suffered a bad defeat at the hands of the Watsontown club. Last Saturday a good-sized crowd gathered at Athletic Park to witness the game between these two nines, and an exciting game was expected, as the Watsontown club has a good reputation, and the home nine has been playing so well all summer. However, the spectators were destined to be disappointed.

The first inning, the opposing nine "got on" to Heist's pitching and did some heavy batting, which considerably rattled our boys. This would not have been done if Heist had been pitching his ordinary game. However, Bloom succeeded in scoring two runs this inning. The whole game through the playing of the nine in the field was simply horrible, error upon error being made; spectators turned their heads away and groaned, while some left the grounds in disgust. The Watsontown nine played a fairly good game, but there is no doubt that if our nine had played their usual game, they would have defeated the Watsontowners. About the only redeeming features of the playing on the part of our boys were Hagenbuch's three bagger, Shaffer, Sylvis, and Housel's two baggers, and the flies caught by Boice and Winner. Boice also knocked several good flies, but was unluckily caught out. Hays was the only exception to the rule of general poor playing. He played a splendid game, from first to last, but it was useless while the rest played so poorly. It was, without exception, the worst game of ball we ever had the misfortune to witness.

The score by innings stood as follows, only five innings being played, as the Watsontowners had to take the 4.18 train down:

Bloomsburg.	2	0	2	0	3	—7
Watsontown.	6	10	0	2	3	—20

The boys had better redeem themselves the next game they play, or they will lose the good reputation they have gained this summer.

Delicate persons, and all whose systems have become debilitated, should bear in mind that Simmons Liver Regulator is not a drastic, purging medicine, does not weaken or deplete the system as other purgatives do, but acts gently. It will invigorate like a glass of wine, but is no intoxicating beverage to lead to intemperance; will promote digestion, dissipate headache, and generally tone up the system.

Hon. Alex. H. Stephens, of Ga., says: "Simmons Liver Regulator is mild and suits me better than more active remedies."

The Milton Fair.

GREAT PREPARATIONS MAKING FOR A FINE EXHIBITION.

The Third annual exhibition of the Milton Driving Park and Fair Association will open on Wednesday, Sep. 28th and continue four days. The management are putting forth every effort to make it a grand success in every respect. The premium list has been revised and enlarged, many additions having been made thereto. New features have been adopted and in addition to the exhibits of agricultural, horticultural and mechanical products, a number of choice attractions, including the world-renowned Myrtle Peek Combination with their matchless running horses, have been secured. The sum total of premiums announced aggregates seven thousand dollars, of which fully $1850 will be paid for trials of speed. Already many noted horse-men have signified their intention of being present to enter the contest, and some fine trials of speed may be expected. Taken all in all, the coming exhibition promises not only to be the largest but the finest and grandest ever held in this part of the State. Excursion rates over all railroads running to Milton. The trains of the Pennsylvania railroad stop at the grounds.

An Extraordinary Arenic Display.

One would think that a complete and enjoyable Circus and Menagerie embracing a full company of performers of recognized merit and a comprehensive Menagerie, exhibited for only Ten and Twenty Cents Admission, would be beyond the range of possibilities. Yet Miller, Stowe & Freeman are giving such a show and are doing it every day. In their posters and circulars they explain how it is done and their explanations are convincing to the most skeptical. James Robinson, the champion bare back rider of the world, and the only James Stowe, the great hurdle and four-horse rider, are with this circus. Their Show is announced to exhibit here on Monday, Sept. 19th.

New goods just received, and now open the latest styles of fall millinery consisting of trimmed pattern hats, fancy feathers, felt and straw trimmed and untrimmed, &c. Mourning goods a specialty. Prices to suit all at Miss E. Barkley's.

German Carp.

A few years ago public notice was directed in this country to the raising of the German carp to take the place of other food fish which were fast being driven out of our fresh waters. The building of dams across our streams and polluting the water with sewers and refuse from the mines has driven all the native fish into other sections. Streams were stocked with bass and brook trout, but there are so many fishermen who have no regard for the laws enacted for the protection of fish that the stocking of the streams has not reached the purpose intended. Another difficulty is that the bass, trout and pike are destructive fish and will destroy the small fish and thus retard propagation. They also inhabit running water, and therefore it is with difficulty they can be kept in one location. It therefore became necessary for our Fish Commissioners to look about and see if a fish could be obtained that would overcome these objections. At last the German Carp was discovered and a few brought to this country for experiment. The experiment proved a valuable one and soon the Commissioners began distributing them in various states. They seemed to thrive everywhere and the farmers attention was directed to raising these valuable fish. They are rapid growers and have reached as high as twenty-five pounds. Farmers soon learned that they could raise these fish with less outlay of labor and capital and with greater profit than they could raise poultry or pigs. The fish inhabits pools or ponds and do not like running streams. They thrive the best in ponds with deep muddy bottoms, they are not a destructive fish and are rapid growers. These fish are sent out in a limited number to any who will manifest enough interest to put them in a pond. The Secretary, H. H. Derr, Wilkes-Barre, or Corresponding Secretary, A. M. Spangler, 329 Commerce street, Philadelphia, will cheerfully give any information on the subject. During 1885 and 1886 nearly 15,000 fish were sent out from the Fisheries and have been placed in nearly every county in the state. At Numidia, Locust township, Mr. Bame has large ponds, where he supplies the farmers with whatever size they may want, from two inches up as high as two feet. It is said that he has one that will weigh about 15 pounds. His ponds are but a few years old, and show how rapidly the fish grow. Careful estimates place the number of fish in his pond at over one million. In Mifflin township Adam Miller was the first to secure any fish, but he placed them in with other fish and he has not been so successful. Mr. D. C. Bond stocked a pond in the Spring with a few fish about six inches long and he thinks they will now weigh nearly three pounds and are over a foot long. In the early Spring Mr. William Hartzel, of Mifflin township, cleared out an old pond and placed in it one Carp about six inches long and over one hundred about two inches long—the smaller ones are now about six inches long and the large one over a foot. He has also built two more ponds which he expects to stock this Fall. He will put in over one thousand of the same fish. With this addition he thinks that the natural growth will be more than the ponds can accommodate and that he will have many carp for sale. Mathias Shaffer, of Bloomsburg, introduced Carp into his ponds a few years ago, and is so well pleased with the result that he is now clearing the pond of all other fish, and will only raise the Carp in the future.

The following information is taken from the Report of the Commissioners of Fisheries and may prove of much value to those interested in raising these fine fish, or who have any thought of soon raising them:

"The Carp is partial to quiet, and even stagnant waters. If they have not an absolute aversion to running waters, it has been satisfactorily demonstrated that where the option is given them they prefer still ponds. They like a loamy, muddy bottom, where the water is deep, and where vegetation is plentiful. That they will multiply and thrive in streams as rapid as the Schuylkill and Delaware, abundant evidence is found in the large Carp which from time to time have been taken in those rivers. Besides, it is well known that it inhabits nearly all the small and large rivers of Europe.

It must not be understood, that because a Carp is able to live in water that would be deadly to most other fish, that pools and bays of that kind are to be preferred for them; neither must it be inferred that first-class fish can be produced in ponds where the water is not pure. The Carp is a vegetable feeder mainly, although it will eat worms and the larvæ of aquatic insects, which it seeks in the mud. Although not carnivorous, it is by no means an epicure in its tastes, being easily satisfied with the refuse of the kitchen and dairy.

The peculiar habits of the Carp are worthy of mention in this connection. In the latitudes of Pennsylvania, they generally, at the beginning of the cold season, resort to the deeper portions of the waters they inhabit, where, if the bottom is muddy, they spend the Winter; if not in a torpid state, at least far from being as active as in Summer.

As soon as the Carp leaves its Winter quarters it begins an earnest quest for food. By the first of March—the time varying with the latitude and temperature—the eggs have become considerably developed, and a few weeks of bright sunshine serve to bring about the spawning season, which, beginning in May, ends about the latter part of June, though in some localties extending far into July. The spawning is not always continuous; that is, it is not begun and completed without interruption. A month may pass from the depositing of the first eggs before the last one is spawned, though this is not common.

There are few more prolific fish than the Carp. The number of eggs contained in a fish that will weigh from three to four pounds will range from 300,000 to 500,000. This is a moderate estimate, but is sufficiently large to explain the wonderful prolificness of this fish in its natural waters.

No doubt many amateur Carp culturists have been surprised to find their ponds bare of young fish, although they had the most convincing evidence that the spawning process had gone on regularly. The cause of that barrenness is readily explained, and is easily remedied. While the Carp is not regarded as a carnivorous fish, it will eat worms and the larvæ of insects when it is afforded a chance to do so, and the experience of Mr. Creveling, the superintendent of the eastern hatchery at Allentown, as well as of other excellent authorities, establishes beyond the preadventure of a doubt, the fact that the old Carp will at times eat the spawn of the young Carp. The simple remedy is to place small brush in the ponds before the spawning season comes on. The eggs of Carp, as all culturists know, are adhesive, adhering in lumps to the object upon which they have fallen. It is also well known that the mother fish generally seeks some object on which to cast her spawn, as the eggs which have no such support are sure to be lost. Hence, if there be a "water grass" or other vegetable growth in the pond, the spawning fish is certain to seek them out, and deposit her eggs so that they will cling to such growth. But that does not remove them from unnatural males who will consume the spawn or the young fish indiscriminately. The female, finding brush scattered on the pond, casts her eggs on the small branches, which should then be removed to an adjoining pond where there are no large fish. By pursuing this plan at the eastern hatchery, the crop of young fish was all saved. In about six to ten days, in favorable weather, the embryo fish will break through its egg covering; in three or four days its yolk is absorbed, and it then seeks its own food."

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Injunction Issued.

In the case of the Locust Mountain Coal & Iron Company against the Directors of the Poor of the township of Conyngham and Borough of Centralia, in equity, Judge Elwell filed an opinion on Wednesday restraining the Directors by an injunction from expending the funds of the district by affording outdoor relief to any person not physically unable to be removed to the poor house. Holding, that, as to such persons, the law incorporating the district was, in this respect, prohibitory, and that it is no excuse for disregarding its provisions by the directors, that in their judgment it is less expensive to maintain such persons by partial relief outside, than to comply with the mandate of the law.

Are you going to school? Then examine the tablets at Clark's book store. s9.

Two muscular men, with a hand organ and a poor, small monkey were on the streets the other afternoon. While passing up town a gentleman was heard to remark "The idea of that poor little monkey supporting those two big men." Such was the fact, for the monkey gathered in a good many nickels.

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Tricots? Certainly. They are stand-bys. The new ones have every virtue of the old, and are in all the latest shades, 3 browns, 3 steels, and plum among the mixed; green, blue, plum, garnet, steel, red, olive, and gendarme in the plain. 50 cents.

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In the September number (portrait of John Burroughs), Maurice Thompson writes critically of Count Tolstoi's works.

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Laughing in Battle.

General Pleasanton said that even in action, at the most critical point, he could always see something that made him laugh. It was at the battle of Brandy Station, where the General distinguished himself as a cavalry leader, that one of these instances occurred. In the heat of the engagement a cavalryman's horse was shot from under him. A shell had taken off the horse's hind legs clean, and the cavalryman and horse rolled together in the dust.

"That soldier," said the General, "was the coolest man I ever saw. He got up and shook himself and commenced to take off his saddle and bridle, and carefully piled them, with his other traps, in a little heap. Although the shot were screaming past him, and the air was full of bullets and shell, he acted with as much deliberation as if he were getting ready for breakfast. That was what attracted my attention. I watched that fellow, thinking that that was the kind of a man I wanted in my escort. At that moment another shell took off his horse's head, and he looked at him a moment, and then put his foot upon the horse's body, about the only thing that was left about the animal, and shook his fist at the rebel battery over on the hill. It was the most comical sight to me I ever saw, and I burst out laughing. I couldn't help it, although we were in a pretty tight place. The next morning I sent over to the regiment to which the soldier belonged and asked the name of the man whose horse had been killed in the singular manner stated. My orderly returned, saying that he couldn't find him. When I inspected the regiment, or what was left of it, that day, I rode down the line and looked at every man to see if I could pick him out myself. Don't you know that I could never find out that fellow? You see he had probably stolen a horse from the quartermaster's department and had remounted himself, and was afraid to come forward for fear of court martial. He was a brave fellow, and I would have been glad to have made him a sergeant. You see there were a great many horses killed, and one man could not be singled out very easily. It was a curious thing that after leaving a lot of dead animals on the battle field, next day would see nearly every man mounted, and in good condition. You see, they would steal the horses from the quartermaster's department, or elsewhere.

Crowds at Saratoga.

So we wended our way some further on amongst the dense crowd, only more crowded and more denser, and anon, if not oftener, Josiah's head would be scooped in by passin' parasol's, and then in low, deep tones, Josiah would use words that I wouldn't repeat for a dollar bill, till at last I asked a bystander a standin' by, and sez I, "Is this village all built together—don't you have no streets a turnin' off of it?"

"Yes," sez he "you'll find a street jest as soon as you get by this hotel."

I stopped right in my tract; I wuz dumb-foundered. Sez I, "Do you mean to say that this hull side of the street that we have been a traversin' anon, or long before anon,—do you say that this is all one buildin'?"

"Yes mom," sez he.

Sez I, in faint axents, "When shall we get to the end on it?"

Sez he, "You have come jest about half way."

Josiah gin a deep groan and turned half way in his tracts, and sez "Let's go back this minute."

I too thought of the quiet haven from whence we had set out, with a deep longin', but seech is the force and strength of my mind that I grasped holt of the situation and held it there tight. If we wuz half way acrost it wouldn't be no further to go on than it would to go back. Such wuz my intellect that I see it to once, but Josiah's mind couldn't grasp it, and with words murmered in my ears which I will never repeat to a livin' soul he wended on by my side through the same old crowd—parasols, and wimmen, and dogs, and babies and men, and parasols, and Injuns, and Spannards, and Creoles, and pretty girls and old wimmen, and puckers, and gethers, and bracelets, and diamoods, and lace, and parasols. Several times, if not more, wuz, Josiah Allen run in by a parasol held by a female, and I felt he wuz liable to be tore from me. His weight is but small. 3 times his hat fell off in the operation and was reskued with difficulty, and he spoke words I blush to recall as havin' passed my pardner's lips.

Wall, in the fullness of time, or a little after, for truly I wuz not in a condition to sense things much, we arrove at a street and we gladly turned our 2 frames into it, and wended our way on in, goin' at a pretty good jog.—*From "Samantha at Saratoga," by Josiah Allen's Wife.*

Attend the Fairs.

Farmers and their families ought to attend, when possible, both their state and county fairs. These exhibitions are many of them excellent educators in all branches of agriculture. The prime object is to benefit the farming classes by grouping together once every year the choicest products of farm, garden, orchard, dairy and breeding pens, the latest improvement in mechanical contrivances, etc., that every man and woman who is present may know just what progress is being made by others and the possibilities that await all who desire to attain to improved methods and their paying results.

To make these fairs generally attractive there should be from each farm in the surrounding country an exhibition of the choice products of the season, whether from the garden, field, dairy or house wife's pantry and work room. Even if no prize is taken the effect will be a good one on both the farmer and his family. A spirit of rivalry will be created that will stimulate alike young and old to renewed efforts toward the attainment of better things during the year to come. To farmers who anticipate purchasing new implements, or entering on new branches of farming, a visit to some of the fairs will be especially beneficial from an economical point of view. There is nothing like seeing for one's self; it is much safer than taking things on trust.

"Loving words will cost but little
Journeying up the hill of life;
But they make the weak and weary
Stronger, braver for the strife.
Do you count them only trifles?
What to earth are sun and rain?
Never was a kind word wasted,
Never one was said in vain.
When the cares of life are many,
And its burdens heavy grow
For the ones who walk beside you,
If you love them, tell them so.
What you count of little value
Has an almost magic power,
And beneath their cheering sunshine
Hearts will blossom like a flower.

The Telautograph.

A WONDERFUL INVENTION RECENTLY PERFECTED BY A CHICAGO ELECTRICIAN.

Prof. Elisha Gray of telephone fame is perfecting an invention with wonderful possibilities, and one which promises great results. It has, according to the Chicago *Tribune*, already reached that stage which insures its practical success, the experiments thus far proving satisfactory. The "telautograph" is the name by which the instrument will be known, which, by the way conveys a very fair idea of what the instrument really is. Once in operation it will be possible for the Chicago speculator to deliver to his New York broker a telautographic order to buy or sell one thousand or ten thousand shares of railroad stock, an exact fac simile of the order being reproduced in that city at the same instant it is written here. If the Chicago man happens to be in New York and wants to send his wife a check for money he simply writes it out in that city, and the moment he is through it is in his wife's hands here. The electric current, of course, is an important factor in the invention, but the chief feature is the plate or instrument on which the writing is done. No particular kind of pen or pencil has to be used; in fact, a sharp-pointed instrument of any kind or even a piece of wood, will answer the purpose. The paper on which the writing is done and the autograph reproduced does not have to be prepared, for in the first instance it is the pressure on the plate which gives the impulse to the machine, while the reproduction is brought about by a tracing point, which may be a properly inked pen or even an ordinary lead pencil attached to a movable arm in the receiving machine at the other end of the line.

A number of experiments with the machine have been made at Highland Park, where Prof. Gray's laboratory is, all of them of the most satisfactory character. The circuit was not a very long one, but the tests were of that kind which indicated that the length of the circuit did not matter much, and that the work could be done over one thousand miles of wire as perfectly as over one hundred. Prof. Gray has not yet applied for patents on the invention, but it is fully covered by caveats, so that he has removed the injunction of secrecy and feels free to talk upon the subject with his friends. He is inclined to think the machine will be required in all cases where absolute accuracy in the delivery and filling of an order is required, and that it will eventually supersede the present system of telegraphic communication; in fact, that an operator will simply transcribe a message, and, while in the act of so doing, will wire it to any point on the continent, the reproduction at the other point always being a fac-simile of the writing of the person at the machine.

People Demand Protection.—Patent Medicines.

What are they? As a general thing they are prescriptions having been used with great success by old and well-read Physicians. Thousands of invalids have been unexpectedly cured by their use, and they are the wonder and dread of Physicians and Medical Colleges in the U. S., so much so, that Physicians graduating at Medical Colleges are required to discountenance Proprietary Medicines, as through them the country doctor loses his most profitable practice. As a manufacturer of Proprietary Medicines, Dr. G. G. Green of Woodbury, N. J., advocates most cordially,—in order to prevent the risk that the sick and afflicted are liable to, almost daily by the use of Patent Medicines put out by inexperienced persons for aggrandizement only, and the employing of inexperienced and incompetent doctors by which almost every village and town is cursed; and men claiming to be doctors who had better be undertakers, experimenting with their patients and robbing them of their money and health,—for the good of the afflicted that our government protect its people by making laws to regulate the practice of medicine by better experienced and more thoroughly educated Physicians, and thereby keep up the honor and credit of the profession, also form laws for the recording of recipes of Proprietary Medicines, under examination and decision of experienced Chemists and Physicians appointed for that purpose by the Government, before they are licensed for general use. He would most freely place the recipe of Boschee's German Syrup and Green's August Flower under such laws, had he the proper protection, and thereby save the prejudice of the people, and avoid the competition and imitation of worthless medicines.— *Copied from the Chicago Mail, Aug. 3, '87.*

Keeping Cows.

An English farmer makes the following valuable suggestions in regard to keeping cows for profit. "Roughly speaking, then, $25 may be considered as the profit on a cow for one year for an ordinarily managed dairy. It does not seem much, but it is, no doubt, far in excess of the average; still there seems no reason why it may not be reached by more liberal feeding on the part of our small cow-keepers. The mistake on the part of the latter appears to be in trying to keep too many inferior animals instead of keeping half the number well. If we take half a dozen cows well cared for, a profit of at least $150 a year will be easily secured, whereas a dozen unfed, neglected beasts, instead of making $300, will be far more likely to lose this sum. A well-known writer reckoned that about one-twelfth of our milk went to rearing and fattening calves, and I have reason to believe that the practice of rearing is more common among the small cow-keepers, and this may partly account for the large number of third-rate stock in the country. It stands to reason that successful breeding and rearing of dairy stock requires great judgment, care, and perseverance, besides knowledge and discrimination of a particular kind—qualities which are seldom met with combined. Therefore it were better if this office were left to the few who are capable of undertaking it, rather than to the many who are not.

To clean hot water copper boilers.—Get three cents' worth of oxalic acid at your druggist's, put it in a pint bottle and fill it with cold water. Pour it over the boiler while it is hot, rubbing it down quickly with a cloth, and polishing it over with a dry piece of flannel. A large boiler can be beautifully polished in five minutes, and will retain its polish a week or more. The bottle should be marked, "Poison," and should be kept out of sight and out of ordinary reach. The amount indicated will last for half a dozen polishings.—*Good Housekeeping.*

Noxious Weeds.

A writer says: I regard the following as the worst weeds we have in the order named: Velvet leaf, burdock, cockle burr, yellow dock, jimpson. Then of another specific class or adapted to different soil are the wild morning glory, several other creeping vines, sand burrs and thistles. The first named is sometimes called button weed. I know not the Latin names for any of these, but do know that they all serve to verify Scripture, if no other good purpose, since to keep them in subjection, when surrounded with farmers as ornary as the weeds, we "earn our bread by the sweat of the brow." Other men may have different opinions as to the relative meanness of these weeds, and some of these may be more incorrigible in some places than others, since the Canada thistles, which proves almost fatal down East, gives no trouble to us Westerners. Probably the most universally despised of this fraternity in the West are the cockle burrs, on account of their conspicuousness in horses' manes and tails, yet the tony young man who desires to render himself conspicuous in fashionable society should not despair, since if you take a pair of shears and cut these off you have a splendid set of bangs. There is no better evidence of a slouchy farmer than to see a fine "crop" of these nuisances filling his fence corners and covering his fields. To expect to flourish and thrive as a farmer without having to contend with these is as absurd as to expect to obtain something for nothing in any other way, and it is just as incumbent upon every good farmer to do his share for the general welfare in this way as it is the duty of a good citizen to pay his taxes or his debts. I started out one day in wet weather to fight burdocks, and found that I had not only my own ground to clear but that of six of my neighbors, and the encouragment I got from these was to be "hollored" at by an old woman that she didn't "want her mustard dug up," and to be inquired of "what harm do they do?" Then another neighbor lets his fence down to haul coal through and leaves it down so that my cows get into his stalk field and it keeps myself and children busy until bed time to clean them of cockle burrs, this to be again repeated the next day. Also I bought three hundred loads of manure several years since from a dairyman, whose farm was well stocked with these burrs, and as a consequence I have had to fight them ever since. There are farms adjoining mine which maintain "well raised" young men, and door yards and garden fences filled with these fruits of laziness.—*The Farmers' Review.*

Plain Truths fo Housekeepers.

Many piano dealers recommend cotton flannel for dusting pianos as superior to anything else.

To keep the strength of the coffee while it is boiling, plug the nose of the coffee pot with a wad of brown paper.

Egg shells will clean vinegar bottles or nursing bottles as well as shot, and they possess the advantage of being always on hand in every kitchen.

The whites of three eggs well beaten, *without any sugar*, make a nice frosting for a pudding. Spread immediately before carrying to the table.

A delicious breakfast cake is made with two cupfuls of milk, two cupfuls of flour and two well beaten eggs, to be baked in scalloped dishes or patti pans.

If your child has the ear ache, turn a drop of milk as hot as it can be borne into the ear and cover it quickly with a bit of cotton batting. This simple remedy has relieved many obstinate cases of ear ache.

To clean carpets.—Go over them once a week with a broom dipped in hot water to which a little turpentine has been added. Wring a cloth in the hot water and wipe under pieces too heavy to be moved.

To tell cake in the oven, never insert a broom splinter, but draw it gently forward and put the ear close to the loaf; if it is not done there will be a little sputtering sound. When it is thoroughly baked there will be no sound.

To prevent pie juice from running out in the oven, make a little opening in the upper crust and insert a little roll of brown paper perpendicularly. The steam will escape from it as from a chimney, and all the juice will be retained in the pie.

A Texas paper reports a case in which an Austin jury fined a drug clerk $50 and costs, amounting in all to $77.75 for selling a package of cigarettes on Sunday.

Sunflowers are used in Wyoming Territory for fuel. The stalks when dry are as hard as maple wood and makes a hot fire, and the seed heads with the seeds in are said to burn better than the best hard coal. An acre of sunflowers will furnish fuel for one stove for a year.

Among the handsome new designs for jewelry the bunch of dark pansies is one of the most attractive. The gold of the flowers is enameled in dark purple, and on each petal there is a diamond large enough to represent a dew drop. The stems are of gold and the bunch of six makes a brooch or breastpin.

To clean silver—One-half pound of sal soda added to eight quarts of water; when at a boiling heat dip the pieces of silver, and immediately wash in soapsuds, and wipe dry with a piece of cotton flannel. This method is recommended by one of the largest britannia works in New England.

ITEMS.

Poison ivy can be eradicated by cutting off the plants just below the surface of the ground, and then covering the top that is left in the ground with salt. Iron weeds and dock in meadows may be destroyed in the same way.

A society for the protection of personal liberty was recently organized by the German-born residents of Philadelphia. Its chief object is to eradicate from the statute books the laws which close saloons on Sunday.

Some men devote themselves so exclusively to their business affairs that they scarcely take time to get well acquainted with the members of their own family. When this is the case from necessity, as it is sometimes with employes, it is sad; when it is voluntary, it is folly.

According to a theosophical journal, the real elixir of life is the human will. If you can make up your mind strongly you can live indefinitely.

Sam Jones says tattlers or backbiters would keep heaven in a row half the time, but they would all go to hell. If there were no fire there, tattlers alone would make it unendurable. Sam occasionally says a good thing.

"How quick can a man wink?" asks an exchange. That depends. If a man's wife accompanies him to the soda-water fountain, and keeps her eye on him, he accomplishes a wink about 99 per cent. quicker than if he were to enter the drug store in company with a male friend.

Favored above all the lands are the Isles of Sandwich. In their recent war of the rebellion the entire army only numbered 147 men, so if every soldier under arms, and the sutler in the tent, writes a magazine history of the war the series of war articles can only run twelve years and four months. And yet some people believe in a second probation for the heathen. Not much; they seem to get their heaven here.—*Burdette.*

The industrial parade at the Constitutional Centennial in Philadelphia this week will be the most elaborate ever witnessed in this country, or any other. The great manufacturers will make magnificent exhibitions, and each will be followed by displays showing the way things were made one hundred years ago. The military parade will also be very fine.

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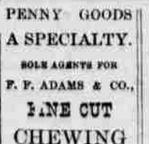
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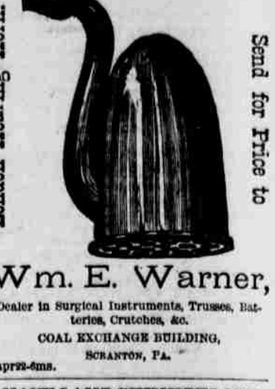
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